

THE MONITOR NEWS

VOL. 2

MONITOR, ALBERTA, FRIDAY, APRIL 13th, 1917.

NO. 20

Boots Boots Boots

See our boots before going elsewhere
Mens Working Boots
guaranteed or money refunded

Mens Suits

We have the old reliable
Steele Briggs
and
McKenzie Seeds
which cannot be beaten

A. J. Deadmarsh

The Pioneer Merchant

On and after April 16th
this store will closed every
evening at 7 p. m.
except Saturdays

WE LEAD, WE NEVER FOLLOW.

Ours Is A Successful Business

Successful, on the basis of satisfied and gratified customers, who deal with us in increasing numbers daily. Up to the present writing our sales records have leaped far ahead of all expectations. Why? Because this business is founded along proper lines, that it is capitalized under home control, home management, and our plea for business will always be based on merit.

OUR MOTTO
The Best Goods at the
Lowest Possible Prices

THE LOCAL SUPPLY CO. Ltd.

Dealers in Groceries : Dry-goods
Boots & Shoes

The Farmers' Store

Chas. C. Jackson : Coronation Distributing Agent of the Ford Tractor Particulars on Appliaiton

WAR! WAR! WAR!
On the Gophers
Strychnine, Gophericide and
Kill-Em-Quick
Get your gopher poison at the
Drug Store.
Formaldehyde in Standard
Strength, and Guaranteed.
Why not use the Best, when
hundreds are doing it.
Just received a Fresh Shipment
of International Stock Foods
and condition Powders. It will
pay you to use your horse right
he does the work for you.
Condition him for Spring
work.
Kennedy Drug Co.
Monitor Branch

On and after Monday, April
16th, the General Stores in
town will close at 7 p. m. every
night except Saturday.

Sam Lewis commenced seed-
ing, yesterday.

DOG LOST

Lost, a large Scotch collie dog, bob
tail. Suitable reward for recovery.
G. Tinkess, Postmaster, Monitor

Canadians win great victory
when they storm and capture
Vinny ridge. Several thousand
prisoners, numerous guns and
ammunition stores were also
taken.

After a 10 day bombardment
the great German works, near
Arras, was stormed. Over 11
thousand prisoners were taken,
in two days. This ridge, Vinny,
cost the French 100,000 men,
when they attempted to wrest
it from the Germans, last year.

This position was considered
the strongest on the western
front. The advance was on a
15 mile front and was carried
forward to a depth of over 2
miles. The Canadian losses are
said to number about 1,500,
which are very light, consider-
ing the ground captured. The
'tanks' were of great help to
the British forces. Further
advance is being delayed by a
big snow storm.

Thirty-two German subs are
reported to have been taken or
destroyed, during February.

Brazil and Cuba line up with
U. S. and declare war against
Germany. Austria breaks off
relations with the States.

Buy your Machinery from the new Deering Agent.
We carry a full line of Farm Machinery, made by the
old reliable I. H. C., and it is a known fact the world
over that the I. H. C. makes the Best Machinery on
the market. The new Hamilton plow is the latest in plow con-
struction. Strong and Simple. Come and examine it and you will
say like all others have said, that it beats anything you have ever
seen. The P. & O. Plow is an old reliable make, we
sell them. Come and see the goods whether you buy
or not. You're welcome.

Traction Engines : Threshing Machines Drills, Discs, Harrows, Stationary Engines Waggons, Democrats, Cream Separators

My Motto is "Efficiency in Service"
Geo. E. Garries : Deering Agent
Monitor Alta.

Fresh & Cured MEATS

Hams Bacon Bologna Sausage

Monitor Meat Market

Town Council

REEVE
H. McKechnie
COUNCILLORS
A. J. Deadmarsh E. T. Stewart
W. S. McCulloch, Sec.-Treas.
Council meets 1st Thursday each month

CHURCH of ENGLAND.

REV. W. S. WICKENDEN, B.A., L.T.H.
PASTOR.
Service every Sunday morning
at 11 a. m.
A hearty invitation to all services
Books provided.

United Lutheran Church

REV. H. T. EGEDAHL, M.A.
PASTOR
Service will be held on April
8th, Easter Sunday, at Compeer
at 11 a. m.

Sunday Services

Co-Operation:
Presbyterian and Methodist
Horse Shoe.....11 a. m.
Creek Valley.....3 p. m.
Monitor.....7.30 p. m.
Monitor Sunday School.. 2 p. m.
REV. J. L. WRIGHT

W. G. MacKENZIE

Barrister, Solicitor Notary Public
Money to Loan
MONITOR : ALBERTA

Notary Public Conveyancing
W. S. McCULLOCH
Real Estate
Money to Loan Insurance
Monitor, Alberta

L. O. L. No. 2553

Meets on the second Tuesday in each
month. Visiting brethren always wel-
come.
MACK MACDONALD. H. McMOHRIS,
W. M. R. S.

DR. LACKNER DENTIST

Specialist in Crown and Bridge
Work
Watch for dates when he will
be in Monitor.

LICENSED AUCTIONEERS

NO SALE TOO LARGE AND
NONE TOO SMALL
WE CAN SELL THE GOODS
Ducklow & Lay
Monitor Alta.

Garries, the Auctioneer

I am permanently located in
Monitor, and if you have any-
thing to sell, see me, as I am
arranging to hold sales twice a
month in Monitor.
Sales cried anywhere at reason-
able terms.
Farm Sales a Specialty
Satisfaction guaranteed or no pay
A. H. Garries the Auctioneer
Monitor Alta.

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per inch, in advance.
All changes of advertisements must
reach this office by Tuesday noon.

FRIDAY, APRIL the 13th, 1917

Note and Comment

Last Saturday was one of the
busiest days seen here in town
since Monitor was put on the
map. Outside of the day before
Christmas, the merchants re-
port that Saturday holds the
record for volume of business
done. With the building now
going on, and what will be put
up during the summer months,
Monitor is getting its full share
of prosperity. A branch of the
Edmonton City Dairy will be
opened here, next week, for the

receiving and shipping of cream
and when the business warrants
it a creamery will be established
here. Butter, ice cream, etc
will also be handled at this
point.

The Provost Star has been
taken over by a number of the
business men, of that town, and
is now being published as the
Provost News. The price of
the paper has been raised to
\$1.50. The first issue of the
News appeared last week, and
it is a decided improvement on
the Star.

The ducks and geese have re-
turned again, also the crows.
Everything but the weather
has pointed to an early spring,
this year, and the farmers are
all anxiously waiting for the
land to get into shape for seed-
ing.

The German crown prince
has been promoted again.

Which reminds one of the
way the boss' son "starts at the
bottom" in a factory, and by
his own unaided efforts becomes
vice president of the firm in six
months.

The latest war news shows
that the big drive on the west
front, has started.

The Advisory Council on Sci-
entific and Industrial Research
has been making efforts to de-
vise a means of utilizing, in
briquetted form, the lignite
areas of Canada, and furnishing
an adequate supply of good
fuel to the Western Provinces.

This lignite has also been
tested and used in a pulverized
form, and produces free steam-
ing, full flexibility of fire, and
no smoke, soot, cinders, or sparks
when dried and pulverized and
burned in suspension.

The cost of drying and pul-
verizing coal is only about one-
fifth of the cost of briquetting,
per ton.

Village Councilors In Jail

Last Thursday evening the
rumor circulated around town
that the Village Council had
been put in the local coop.

Various reasons were stated
as to why these men were in
this predicament, some said, for
renting Railway Ave. to the O.
K. Barn for a wagon stand; still
others maintained that it was
due to the impounding of the
horses that have been around
town all winter. A deputation
of citizens visited the jail and
found that while the Council
was in the jail, they were only
holding their monthly meeting,
and so another "leak" scandal
was thrown into the discard.

J. HANSON

Contractor and Builder.

Plans and Specifications
Furnished.

All Work Guaranteed.

MONITOR : ALTA.

W. S. McCULLOCH
Issuer of
Marriage Licenses

MONITOR : ALTA.

NOTICE

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF
THE R. M. OF STEWART
NO. 302

I have been instruct-
ed to make seizure on
all arrears of taxes
and those wishing to
save extra expense
must pay all arrears
at once, to me or to
the Sec-Treas.

LYNN WILTSE, Bailiff.

HARNESSES



HEADQUARTERS

I have now a full range of
harness on hand.

Anyone needing Harness or
Horse requisites will do well to
look over my stock. There is
nothing more sure than that the
price of Harness will take a big
jump, either this month or next,
as the result of the abnormal ad-
vance in the price of leather and
all raw materials needed.

Practically all the large manufacturers
have to go to the tanneries to renew con-
tracts this month, and I am told on good
authority, that there will be an increase of
at least 18c per lb on last contract in Sept.

It is therefore easily seen what a dif-
ference this will make on a set of harness.

I, personally, expect to see harness ad-
vance 25% this summer.

Now, you all know what my prices were
last Spring; they will be practically the same
this Spring as long as Stock on hand lasts.

I have a large and varied stock of
Breeching Harness, Harness, less breeching
Carriage Harness, Hame Straps, Halters
Single Buggy Harness, Breast Straps, Hames
Democrat Harness, Brushes, Curry Combs
Collars, Martingales, Sweat Pads, Lines
Snaps and all Harness Hardware

Owing to the uncertainty of the
leather situation, my terms must
be Strictly Cash. Please note
this and do not ask for time.

Yours,
J. Hamer.

THE PLOW OUR HOPE

*This was One of the Significant Phrases Recently
Used by the Prime Minister of Great Britain*

There is Only One Way to Reduce the

HIGH COST OF LIVING That is to INCREASE PRODUCTION

Everyone cannot OPERATE A FARM,
but every GARDEN that is cultivated
this year will increase the Food Supply.

EVERY HEN YOU SET
will mean more chickens, and later MORE
EGGS. These will mean INCREASED
VITALITY IN CANADA. This may be THE
WAY IN WHICH YOU CAN HELP.

THIS SHOULD BE CANADA'S GREATEST
YEAR OF NATIONAL SERVICE

The appeal comes to everyone. Whether
you live in a City, Town or Village or on a
Farm. No matter how small your garden
patch is, it will help.

The Alberta Department of Agriculture is at your service in this work. If you want
information or assistance, write to the Department, or write to the nearest School of Agriculture
or Demonstration Farm and your request will have immediate attention.

TEST ALL THE SEEDS YOU SOW

We will do this for you if you send in samples of the seed.

FARM HELP.

If you require farm help, write to one of the following:—
Agent of Department of Agriculture, Board of Trade Building, Lethbridge.
Agent of Department of Agriculture, Dairy Commissioner's Office, Calgary.
Agent of Department of Agriculture, Office of Publicity Commissioner, Edmonton.

Let this year be one of

THE GREATEST EFFORT OF ALBERTA

We shall be pleased to mail you bulletins upon "Vegetable Gardening," "Poultry Rais-
ing" or any other agricultural endeavor, as well as to give assistance through the officials of the
Department.

HON. DUNCAN MARSHALL,
Minister of Agriculture



MAIL SERVICE

A change has been made in the mail service at this point. All mail for Coronation and points west now leaves here daily, except Sunday, and arrives here from the west on the same days, the mixed train only carrying the mails to and from the east. The mails to and from Kirriemuir, Bideford and Compeer will be taken direct instead of going to Kerrobert or Coronation first. These changes are a great help to the business life of the various towns along this line.

Sounding Lake U. F. A.

The General Meeting of the local U. F. A. will be held in Horse Shoe School, tomorrow night, Saturday April 14th, at 7 p. m.

NOTICE

Dr. J. D. Robinson
M.D. C.M.
Graduate in Medicine
and Surgery of
McGill University
Located at
Bideford Alberta



What will the harvest be?
Into your crops you have put a year of time and thought and work. Out of them you expect a fair return. Yet a sudden hail-storm, passing in half an hour, may wipe out the fruit of a year's industry. At a very moderate cost a

Hail Insurance Policy

of the Hartford Fire Insurance Co. will absolutely guarantee you against such loss. It is the ounce of prevention where there is no cure. For your peace of mind alone, it is worth the cost. May we show you a sample policy?

Call at News Office.

Star Restaurant

Charlie Yee, Prop.

Board and Rooms

Meals at all Hours

Fruit, Cigars and
Soft Drinks

STRAYED

One Brown Gelding, rising 7 years. Blocky build, white star on forehead. Weight about 1400.
One Light Bay Gelding, rising 6 yrs. Had halter on. Branded on left shoulder. Weight 1200 lbs.
Suitable reward for information leading to recovery.
F. F. Begg Section 4-33-1-w/4th Compeer Alta.

WANTED

A good milk cow, about 5 or 6 years old. Must be either just fresh or due to calf soon. Apply stating price etc to T. H. Noad, Box 77, Monitor, or at Section 24-33-4.

Mecklenburg Optician.

Dr. H. MECKLENBURG, the old reliable graduate optician, who has had 32 years experience, 12 years in Alberta

CONSULT HIM HERE

Edmonton office: -208, Williamson Bldg. Phone 5225.

No agents.—Beware of impostors.

MONEY TO LOAN

On improved farm property, at 8%

Apply at News Office.

Everybody's doing it.
Doing what? Going to

DORE'S Blacksmith Shop.

Horseshoeing and Plow Work a Specialty.

All Work Guaranteed.

Your Stationery

is your silent representative If you sell fine goods that are up-to-date in style and of superior quality it ought to be reflected in your printing. We produce the kind that you will not be ashamed to have represent you. That is the only kind it pays to send out. Send your orders to this office.

Transient Ads.

FOR SALE

Complete Threshing and Plowing Outfit for sale.
Marshall Sons & Co. Engine (gasoline) 32 Draw H. P.—60 to 70 Belt H. P. Avery Separator 32—60
Cockshutt Gang Plow, Stubble and Breaker bottoms.
Last fall the above outfit was thoroughly overhauled and put in first class order. Apply to
H. L. Penny Sec. 14-31-4-4 Monitor Alta.

SEED FLAX

A large quantity of Seed Flax for sale. Reasonable price. Apply to D. Martin, Monitor Sec. 12-36-4.

PUBLIC NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:
On and after the 16th day of April, 1917, the trail now running through Section 28-31-4 will be closed and transients will keep to the road allowance on the south side of said section.
A. J. Penny H. Pollock

TAKE NOTICE

All those who are indebted to me are asked to pay their accounts at once, and so save further trouble and expense.
W. E. Reed Monitor

WANTED

Teacher wanted for the Horse Shoe School, No. 3004. Apply, giving particulars as to Salary required, Age, date and class of Certificate, to T. G. Walker, Sec-Treas. Sounding Lake P. O.

Save Money!

A \$ saved is a \$ earned

Let us help you to add to your profits next fall

Read This

On May 1st there will be an advance on every line of farm implements. We have already been notified of a 7½ advance on our buggies.

We take the risk

Leave us your order before May 1st and we will guarantee to deliver the goods at the old prices. All orders subject to crop conditions

Order your Mower

Order your Binder

We sell the Best

The best is the McCormick

J. A. Hayes & Sons'

IMPLEMENTS : COAL : FLOUR

OUR MOTTO:—A square deal for a round dollar.

Pioneer Livery and Feed Stable

The Best Livery and Feed Stable in the Village

Draying of all classes done at Moderate Prices.

Mack MacDonald, : : rop.

Palace Amusement Parlor

Johnson Bros., Props.

Pocket Pool and Billiards

Smokers Supplies : Cigars, Tobaccos

SOFT DRINKS

Main St. : : Monitor

Manufacturers Life Insurance Co

This old Established Company has abundance of Money to loan in this district at 8 per cent.

No restrictions as to distance from railway.

Inspector will be here next week and every two weeks after.

W. G. MacKenzie - Agent - Monitor

General Local News of The Town and District

Readers Can Make This Column
More Interesting By Informing
The Editor of Events Occur-
ing Hereabouts

Miss Walker returned to
Coronation on Tuesday.

A. Baxter went up to Consort
on Tuesday.

Sam English went up to Stett-
ler on Monday, and secured a
barber for his shop.

The regular meeting of the
Literary Society will be held on
Tuesday evening, next. Papers
will be given by J. Hamer and
W. G. MacKenzie. A musical
program and other items will
be given. Everybody welcome.

John and Edward Kommer
have purchased land in this dis-
trict from the Hudson's Bay Co.
They formerly resided at
Hawley, Minn.

The Star Cafe will carry a
full line of Ice Cream, Sodas,
and Soft Drinks, during the
season.

W. Ducklow was a visitor in
Coronation for several days.

J. H. Dixon spent the Easter
holidays up at Erskine.

W. S. McCulloch spent a few
days in Stettler this week.

Messrs Martin and Lay mo-
tored down from Castor during
the Easter holidays.

T. Hart and family moved to
the farm last week.

Birth—To Mr. and Mrs. Geo.
Avery, on Monday April 2nd,
a daughter.

Mrs. W. Cramer has returned
home after nursing at the
Avery home.

The Easter Congregational
meeting of the Anglican Church
was held on Wednesday night.

Most encouraging reports
were presented showing the
progress made in the comple-
tion of the church and in re-
ference to finances. During the
preceding eleven months \$687
had been contributed locally
for parish purposes and \$154
for missionary work, Red Cross
etc. For the ensuing year the
following officers were elected:
J. Hamer, Inc. Warden; J. Aug.
Hayes, Delegate to Synod; Jos.
Hamer, People's W'd'n. Vosty
men: J. Aug. Hayes, Jim Hayes,
L. E. Larder, Chas Connah and
J. Mitchell.

Today's Market Report

Wheat—No. 1 Northern.....	1.84
Wheat—No. 2 Northern.....	1.81
Wheat—No. 3 Northern.....	1.76
Wheat—No. 4 Northern.....	1.60
Wheat—No. 5 Northern.....	1.40
Wheat—No. 6 Northern.....	1.05
Wheat—Feed.....	.68
Flax.....	2.55
Oats No. 2 C. W.....	.53
Barley.....	.90

All sizes of Machine and Carriage Bolts in stock

Monitor Cash Hardware

W. H. Olson, Prop.

Wall Paper, Building & Tar Paper
Roofing Linoleum

Everything at lowest possible prices
Walk a Block and Save Money

Agent for Government Telephones
Full line of Chinaware and Crockery

FI-RE-CO RANGES - BARB WIRE



When in Calgary, on Monday, we were
able to get another carload of Ford Cars
and we are very glad to announce that these
can now be sold under the Guarantee Secur-
ities Corporation on Deferred Payments. Part
cash, the balance arranged to suit.

If you have been thinking of a car
now is the time to buy as an advance
in price is most probable. Other
cars have advanced, and even with
the large 'FORD' buying and manu-
facturing facilities, the costs are
increasing.

MONITOR GARAGE

On Sunday next, April 15th,
a special Service (D. V.) will be
held in the Anglican Church at
11 a.m. for the unveiling of a
Roll of Honor for the gallant
soldiers from this district.

Returned soldiers, and the
friends and relatives of the
soldiers are especially invited.

And it is hoped that every
patriotic citizen will be present.

Notice to Creditors

In the estate of Robert McCulloch late
of the Hamlet of Sedalia, Alberta, Farm-
er, deceased. Notice is hereby given
that all persons having claims upon the
estate of the late Robert McCulloch
who died on or about the 25th day of
February A. D. 1917, are required to
send to R. C. Murphy of Castor, Alberta,
Barrister, Solicitor for Mrs. Margret
McClughan McCulloch the Administra-
trix of the said deceased, on or before
the 1st day of May, 1917, a full state-
ment of their claims and of any securi-
ties held by them, duly verified, and
that after that date the said Adminis-
tratrix will proceed to distribute the
assets of the said deceased among the
parties entitled thereto, having regard
only to claims of which notice has been
filed with the said R. C. Murphy
Solicitor for the Administratrix of the
said estate.

Dated at Castor, this 27th day of
March A. D. 1917.
R. C. Murphy
Solicitor for the said Administratrix.
Approved
F. A. Morrison
J. D. C. D. S.



B. R. Cramer
AUCTIONEER

Sales Cried - - Terms Right
Satisfaction Guaranteed

Monitor Laundry

First Class Work
Guaranteed

Sam Lee : Prop.

Formaldehyde

We received a fresh supply
of Formaldehyde, from Win-
nipeg, yesterday.

$\frac{3}{4}$ lb (pint) Bottles 30c each

1 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb (quart) " 45 "

In bulk, your own can, 30c per lb

Machine Oil 65 & 75 c. per gallon

All sizes Sisal Rope 30 c. per lb

Nails, Bar Iron, Etc.

Crucible Steel Plow Shares
at \$3 - 3.25 - 3.50 according to size
and guaranteed to fit

L. R. Beebe Hardware Co.

The Monitor News Job Dept.

IF ITS ANY KIND OF PRINTING
WE CAN DO IT

At Home Cards
Bills of Fare
Ball Programs
Bill Heads
Blotters
Booklets
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Letter Heads
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Posters
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Artistic Job Printing our Specialty.

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